

THE SCOURGE.

Hundreds Dying Daily From Cholera in Hamburg.

The New Cases Average Over Five Hundred a Day.

All who Can Seek Places of Safety—The Measures Adopted by the Sanitary Authorities Not Satisfactory—No Sale for Fruit in the City.

HAMBURG, Aug. 29.—The number of fresh cases of cholera on Saturday was 469 and the number of deaths 197. Incomplete returns for the day show that there are at least 500 fresh cases. The number of deaths has not yet been ascertained. The mortality from cholera has raised the number of funerals daily from an average of 35 to 320. The city is not yet panic stricken, but the presence of the plague is apparent everywhere.

The streets Sunday were deserted for the first time since the disease became prevalent. The usual Sunday excursions were abandoned. No excursion trains were run, and the steamers which usually take out parties lay idle at the docks. Theaters, circuses and music halls were empty. Most merchants and shopkeepers will stick to their business, but Monday or Tuesday may see trade practically suspended and the men who constitute the business world here leaving with their families for other parts of Germany. The persons of wealth and no regular occupation have gone already to Rostock, Luebeck and Flensburg and other seaside resorts. Dissatisfaction with the measures adopted by the sanitary authorities and with their policy of trying to hold back the worst news is largely responsible for the growing unrest which may culminate almost at any hour in a panic. The sale of fruit in the city has become a dead branch of trade. Dealers who handle southern fruits find their stocks practically a total loss.

The funerals which take place constantly are conducted without the usual ostentation. Not more than two or three carriages follow a hearse, and in many cases the body is taken to the grave without a friend or relative to accompany it. The services are limited to a prayer, or at most to a prayer and hymn. This simplicity of ceremony is the result of the repeated warnings of the sanitary authorities and private physicians. The Hamburg senate has requested an extra credit of 3,000,000 marks for medical purposes. In Altona, just below here, there were 47 fresh cases Sunday and 19 deaths.

Proposed Religious Insurance Company.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 29.—Among matters of interest before the German Evangelical conference was a resolution introduced by Rev. C. Kurze, of Iowa, for the organization of a mutual accident and fire insurance company for the benefit of the members of the church throughout the country. The object is to insure nothing but church property and that of the members. It will be taken up later.

Sullivan at Church.

CANOE PLAIN, N. Y., Aug. 29.—John L. Sullivan went to church at Southampton Sunday. He exercised twice in the barn in the afternoon, three hundred men and women being present. Afterwards he shook hands with five hundred persons and bade them farewell. His actual weight at this time is 207 pounds.

Foul Play Suspected.

ZANESVILLE, O., Aug. 29.—Jacob Hiller, who was found unconscious in a pool of his own blood in Beaumont's mill, Friday evening, died Sunday without regaining consciousness. The cause of his death is still a mystery, although a majority are against the theory of foul play.

Slept on Duty.

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 29.—Warden James, of the penitentiary, has suspended two of the night-guards for sleeping on duty. They are J. W. Bright, of Belmont county, and C. D. York, of Mercer. Their vacation is to last five days.

Soldier's Son Drowned.

BROOKLYN, Aug. 29.—John Ross Fitzpatrick, a son of Capt. Wm. Fitzpatrick, of the Seventy-third English regiment, stationed at Barbadoes, West Indies, was drowned while bathing at the foot of Pacific street. The body was recovered.

Missionary Howland Dead.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Aug. 29.—A cable message announces the death, Friday, in Jaffa, Ceylon, of Rev. William Ware Howland, for nearly fifty years missionary of the American board on that island.

Welsh Tin Plate Factories Closing.

LONDON, Aug. 29.—Several Welsh tin plate manufacturers closed their works on Saturday. Sixty works are now closed and 10,000 hands are idle. Many sailed on Saturday to find employment in America.

Grangers' Exhibition.

CARLEISLE, Pa., Aug. 29.—The nineteenth annual national exhibition of Grangers of the United States and their families formally opened here Monday.

Spain Scared.

MADRID, Aug. 29.—The official Gazette publishes a decree ordering that stringent measures be adopted against the cholera. Rigorous precautions are being taken on the frontier.

Twenty-five Deaths at Havre.

HAVRE, Aug. 29.—Seventy-five new cases of cholera and twenty-five deaths from the disease were reported in this city Saturday.

Big Fire in Dublin.

DUBLIN, Aug. 29.—The south city markets was destroyed by fire Saturday. The loss is \$100,000.

Cholera in Cuba.

CITY OF MEXICO, Aug. 29.—It is rumored in Vera Cruz that there is cholera in Havana.

THE VETERANS

Arranging for the Grand Encampment of the G. A. R.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—The committee on reunions for the twenty-sixth national encampment of the G. A. R. has decided to group all the reunions together on the mall known as the White lot, south of the white house. Around the ellipse will be stationed headquarters tents for each corps, for navy, ex-prisoners of war and other organizations. In the rear of these tents will be others for each brigade in the corps. There will be large tents for the reunions of corps.

The ground will be dedicated under the name of Grand Army place on Monday, the 19th.

The president of the United States, the vice-president, the supreme court, cabinet officers, committees representing the senate and house of representatives, the major-general commanding the army, and the rear admiral of the navy will be present with the commander-in-chief of the grand army. There will be a grand parade prior to the ceremonies. The regular soldiers and sailors stationed in the vicinity of Washington, the district militia and the department of the Potomac and Sons of Veterans will appear in line.

NO TROUBLE.

The Roughers in the Pittsburgh District Accept the Scale.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 29.—The prospect of more internal strife in the ranks of the Amalgamated Association in the near future was dispelled Sunday, at a meeting of the roughers in the Pittsburgh district. The meeting was attended by 200 roughers. The Mahoning and Shenango valley roughers were also represented by the chairman of the committee that attended the recent Youngstown conference in the interests of the roughers.

The most important action of the meeting was the decision to accept the terms of the Amalgamated conference committee, and go to work at the horizontal cut. This decision takes away all probability of trouble this year. It was decided, however, to form a roughers' association, the object of which will be to advance the wages of the roughers very materially next year.

Panic During Church Service.

FORESTVILLE, Mich., Aug. 29.—A Roman Catholic church, three miles from this place, was burned to the ground and the following people burned: Miss Gustine, fatally; Wm. Grant, seriously; Mrs. Jane Armstrong, seriously. The fire was discovered while the services were being held and a wild panic ensued among the members. Women and children were trampled upon, and many of them were badly bruised. Miss Gustine, who was fatally burned, was so seriously hurt during the mad rush for the doors that she was unable to make her escape and was caught by the flames. The value of the church was \$37,500.

A Novel Wedding.

CLARKSVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 29.—In the Fifteenth district of Montgomery county a marriage of a novel nature occurred. J. W. Weakley and Miss Martha Crozier determined to have the ceremony performed before their parents could divine their intentions. After securing the license they called on Squire George Smith, but found him hard at work in his field. They proceeded to where he was and were married standing in a tobacco patch, with the hot sun pouring down upon their heads.

A Yacht Boiler Explodes.

ROCKFORD, Ill., Aug. 29.—The boiler in the steam yacht of H. D. Sears exploded on Rock river near Harlem park, and the occupants—Mr. Sears, Mrs. Lawrence and Mrs. George F. Penfield and child—were thrown out into the stream, a distance of twenty feet. They were rescued by parties in small boats. The occupants are all prominent Rockfordites and were badly injured in the accident.

Murdered and Robbed.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 29.—John Saper was found Sunday morning lying dead on the B. & O. R. R. tracks, near Sandy creek. He had been run over by a train, but an investigation showed that his death had been caused by wounds on the head, and not due to the cars passing over him. It was also found that he had been robbed of his watch and \$50 in money.

The Coming Prize Fight.

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—Sportsmen who are familiar with the performances of the boxers are of the opinion that neither Sullivan nor Corbett has a mortgage upon the purse and stakes at New Orleans. They believe that the battle will be a hard, scientific one from start to finish, and that it will last for something like an hour. Both men are in splendid condition.

Carelessness.

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 29.—Among the immigrants who arrived over the Grand Trunk railroad Sunday were ten Hollanders. They passed through New York city, but had no health certificates to show that they had been examined there. Nothing on which the foreigners could be detained could be found, and they were allowed to proceed on their journey to Chicago.

Shot By Mistake for a Burglar.

SHARON, Pa., Aug. 29.—Charlie Troutman, a young farm hand, was shot four times in the side and fatally wounded by his brother-in-law, R. J. Clark, at the latter's farm, six miles north of Sharon. Troutman was mistaken for a burglar.

Germans Fleeing to Switzerland.

LONDON, Aug. 29.—A Lucerne dispatch to the Times says that Switzerland is being invaded by Germans fleeing from their homes to escape cholera, but that the Swiss Bundesrath has decided that special measures against cholera are not yet needed.

A Terrible Fall.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 29.—Marion Farmer, a liveryman of this place, fell off the river bridge here Sunday morning fifty feet into a pile of rock while drunk. He escaped without injury, but got mad because his watch case was broken.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Gathered From All Parts of the Country By Telegraph.

Thomas W. Shaw was gored to death by a bull near Monroe, Mich.

Typhoid fever is raging in the institute for the feeble-minded at Syracuse, N. Y. No deaths.

Nearly one thousand houses, including the government buildings, have been burned in Borissou.

The Fifth Illinois Congressional district prohibitionists have nominated Henry Wood of Sycamore.

Mrs. Cecilia Kauffman, a widow, hanged herself at New Albany, Ind., because her children insisted on giving up her lover.

Mrs. Polly Lander Luckie, a native and former resident of Hopkinsville, Ky., died suddenly at her home in Mexico, Mo., nearly 100 years of age.

A number of new cases of cholera reported in Paris Sunday. Three deaths from the disease occurred Sunday. Three persons died of cholera in Le Mans Sunday.

Near Tuscaloosa, Ill., Ephraim Dressback allowed two strangers to walk away with \$5,000 of his hard earned money while he held a box containing a block of wood.

Alice M. Young, aged twenty-two years, committed suicide at Altoona, Pa., Sunday night by shooting herself through the head. Disappointment in love was the cause.

A. E. Fields, a local railroad agent, was caught in a whirlpool in the Alapaha river Sunday afternoon, at Jennings, Fla., and drowned. He was bathing with a party of friends at the time.

A woman died at Rotterdam Saturday of Asiatic cholera. The authorities are reticent as to the circumstances, but there is little doubt that the disease came there by way of Hamburg.

Wilmington, Del., swarmed Sunday with colored people. It was the annual "big quarterly," and the number of visitors is computed at 5,000. The city's regular colored population is about 8,000.

Charles Patch, the train-wrecker who was arrested by Detective Monatt near Brice's Station last Tuesday, attempted suicide at the county jail in Columbus, O., Sunday by swallowing broken glass. He will recover.

The will of D. H. Kenyon, of Waldo, O., drawn after he had been mortally wounded by his son George, has been filed in the Marion county probate court. Though Kenyon forgave his son before he died, the will disinherits him.

It is calculated that \$5,000,000 will be sent to the United States from Mexico in payment for grain imported. Merchants who have refrained from importing, owing to the high rate of exchange, find their stock now exhausted, and will be obliged to import \$500,000.

Among the passengers on the Cunard Etruria Saturday were Miss Francis Willard and Miss Anna Gordon, her private secretary, who will spend a couple of months with Lady Henry Somerset at Eastnor castle, returning to this country in time to attend the national convention of the Women's Christian Union at Denver in November.

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 29.

FLOUR—Winter patent \$4.25; 44's, fancy, \$5.00; 47's, family, \$3.25; 48's, extra, \$3.25; 49's, low grade, \$2.00; 50's, spring patent, \$4.00; 51's, spring fancy, \$3.00; 52's, spring family, \$3.35; 53's, Rye flour, \$2.00; 54's, wheat, \$3.00.

WHEAT—Good No. 2 red held at 74c, with buyers at 74 1/2c for the samples offered. No. 3 red was quoted at 68 3/4c for prime lots. Sales of 140 bu sample red, landing, at 71c.

CORN—No. 2 white held at 52 1/2c and No. 2 mixed at 51c, with buyers at about 5c less.

OATS—Mixed samples sell according to quality at 30 1/2c. White samples continued scarce and strong. No. 2 white being held at 32 1/2c.

RYE—Met with a dull and easy market. No. 2 being offered at 64c and No. 3 at 58c. No trading at the rates.

CATTLE—Shippers, good to choice, \$4.25; 44's, common to fair, \$3.00; 45's, extra, good to choice, \$3.25; 46's, common to fair, \$2.75; 47's, select butchers, \$4.00; 48's, extra heavy, \$4.35; 49's, fair to good, \$3.25; 50's, common, \$1.75; 51's, heifers, good to choice heavy, \$3.00; 52's, good to choice light, \$3.00; 53's, common to fair, \$1.50; 54's, \$1.50.

HOGS—Lower, common, \$4.00; 47's, fair to good light, \$4.25; 48's, fair to good packing, \$4.30; 49's, select butchers, \$5.20; 50's, \$5.30.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Sheep—Steady; common to fair, \$3.00; 47's, good to choice, \$4.00; 48's, extra, \$5.00. Lambs—Steady; common to fair, \$3.20; 48's, good to choice, \$5.75; 49's, \$6.00.

WHEAT—No. 2 red winter, 81 1/2c cash and September; October, 82c; November, 83 1/2c; December, 85c.

CORN—No. 2 mixed, 51c cash; August, 50c; September, 51 1/2c.

OATS—No. 2 mixed, 34 1/2c cash; August, 35c.

RYE—Nominal at 64 1/2c.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 29.

CATTLE—Market, nothing doing, all through consignments; 21 cars of cattle shipped to New York.

HOGS—Market very dull; prime corn-fed \$5.30; 44's, Yorkers \$5.00; 45's, grassers \$4.50; 47's, 7 cars hogs shipped to New York.

SHEEP—Market very dull at unchanged prices.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 29.

WHEAT—Weak; No. 2 red spot, 76 1/2c; August, 75 1/2c; September, 76 1/2c; October, 77 1/2c; December, 80c.

CORN—Dull; mixed spot and August, 56c bid; September, 56 1/2c asked; October, 56 1/2c bid; year, 56c asked; steamer mixed, 56c bid.

OATS—Steady and firm; No. 2 white western, 43 1/2c; No. 3 white, 41c; No. 2 rye, 62c; No. 2 barley, 63c; No. 3, no sales; No. 1 f o b, 39 1/2c; No. 1 flaxseed, \$1.02 1/2.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 29.

WHEAT—A shade firmer; No. 2 red, in export elevator, 76c; No. 2 red August, 76 1/2c.

CORN—Car lots quiet; futures neglected and wholly nominal; No. 2 high mixed and yellow in grain depot and elevator, 61c; No. 2 mixed August, 57 1/2c; 57 1/2c.

OATS—Local trade demand light; prices barely steady; new No. 1 white, 34c; new No. 2 white, 33c; old No. 2 white, 34c; do choice, 43 1/2c; No. 2 white August, 41 1/2c; 42c.

TOLLEDO, Aug. 29.

WHEAT—Dull and firm; No. 2, 79 1/2c; August, 78 1/2c; September, 79 1/2c; December, 80 1/2c; May, 81 1/2c.

CORN—Dull; No. 2 cash, 52c.

OATS—Quiet, cash, 33c.

RYE—Dull; No. 2 cash, 63c.

CLOVER SEED—Active and higher; No. 2 cash, 50c; prime and October, 50 1/2c; November, 50c.

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